



PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 07040.0217-00000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
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Claudio LACAGNINA	)	Group Art Unit: 1791
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Application No.: 10/530,364	)	Examiner: Knable, Geoffrey L.
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Filed: November 14, 2005	)	
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For: <b>METHOD AND AN APPARATUS</b>	)	Confirmation No.: 2971
<b>FOR ASSEMBLING TYRES FOR</b>	)	
<b>VEHICLE WHEELS</b>	)	

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Sir:

**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

Concurrent with the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) filed herewith and in reply to the Final Office Action mailed January 5, 2009, the period for response having been extended to July 6, 2009 (July 5 being a Sunday) by a petition for extension of time of three (3) months and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks** follow the claim amendment section of this paper.